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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED DECEMBER 13, 2007

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This paper is filed in response to the Office action dated December 13, 2007, which sets forth a restriction requirement. The following response is made *without traverse*.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.